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PART I. IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

Report on the Administration of Scholarships for the Backward Classes during the year 1925-26.

READ—

Letter No. C. 3657—25-26, dated 27th March 1926, from the Inspector-General of Education, submitting a report on the administration of scholarships for the Backward Classes during the year 1925-26.

(*Printed as annexure.)

ORDER No. E. 5907-8—EDN. 31-25-39, DATED 24TH APRIL 1926.

Recorded.

P. G. D'SOUZA,
Chief Secretary to Government.

ANNEXURE.

No. C. 3657 of 25-26, dated 27th March 1926, from K. Matthan, Esq., B.A., Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, to P. G. D'Souza, Esq., B.A., B.L., Chief Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Adverting to para III 2 (i) of Government Order No. E. 5030-3—Edn. 142-21-41, dated 17th February 1923, requiring the submission of a report on the working of the scheme of Backward Class Scholarships of the several grades in the State, I have the honor to submit herewith for perusal of Government, a detailed statement showing the number of scholarships available, applications received, awards made and the applications that could not be considered for want of provisions.

From a perusal of the statement it will be seen that out of the total provision of Rs. 61,790 per annum (including the share of Rs. 5,510 per annum out of the additional grant of Rs. 8,000 sanctioned as per Government Order No. E. 2483-85—Edn. 148-23-9, dated 13th November 1925) a sum of Rs. 61,620 per annum has been awarded, leaving a small balance of Rs. 170 for the whole year as against Rs. 80 per annum in the previous year.

From the experience so far gained, the scheme has been working satisfactorily and the thanks of the Department are due to the several Taluk and District Ad Hoc Committees for their hearty co-operation in this work.